#### REPORTS ANALYSIS REFERRAL

TO

#### OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

DATE: August 26, 1998

ANALYST: **Edward Ryan** 

I. COMMITTEE: Elections Committee of the County of Orange

(C00192302)

Tamara Jean McIntyre, Treasurer

(February 4, 1998-Present) Jeff LeTourneau, Treasurer

(May 23, 1997-February 3, 1998) Thomas J. Peterson, Treasurer (April 1, 1997-May 22, 1997)<sup>1</sup> William B. Carolan, Treasurer

(Pre-January 1, 1997-March 31, 1997)<sup>1</sup>

1700 E. Garry Street, Suite 108

Santa Ana, CA. 92705

II. RELEVANT STATUTE: 2 U.S.C. §434(a)(4)(A)(i)

11 CFR §104.5(c)(1)(i)(A)

III. BACKGROUND:

Failure to Timely File the 1998 April Quarterly Report

The Elections Committee of the County of Orange ("the Committee") failed to timely file the 1998 April Quarterly Report of Receipts and Disbursements covering the period from January 1, 1998 to March 31, 1998. On December 29, 1997 and March 20, 1998, Prior Notices were sent to the Committee informing it that the 1998 April Quarterly Report was due on April 15, 1998 (Attachments 2 and 3). A Non-Filer Notice was sent to the Committee via mailgram on May 7, 1998 (Attachment 4).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Mr. Peterson and Mr. Carolan appeared to be acting as treasurer during these respective periods.

The Reports Analysis Division ("RAD") analyst attempted to contact someone with the Committee, on June 1, 1998, but was only able to leave a message on a recording machine. The analyst identified himself and advised the Committee that an April Quarterly Report must be filed as soon as possible. (Attachment 5).

On June 17, 1998 Mr. Jeff LeTourneau, Co-Chairman of the Committee, returned the phone call/message left on the recording machine. He apologized for not filing the April Quarterly Report on time and said he would get together with the treasurer and get the report in as soon as he could (Attachment 6).

The Committee filed the 1998 April Quarterly Report on July 17, 1998, via certified/registered mail (Attachment 7).

#### FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION 1997-1998

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DATE 8/25/1998

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COMMITTEE DOCUMENT RECEIPTS DISBURSEMENTS # OF IMAGE COVERAGE DATES PAGES LOCATION TYPE OF FILER ELECTIONS COMMITTEE OF THE COUNTY OF GRANGE ID #CO0192302 NON-PARTY QUALIFIED CONNECTED ORGANIZATION: NONE 1997 MISCELLANEOUS REPORT TO FEC 23HAY97 4 97FEC/204/4842 2 97FEC/205/1815 HISCELLANEOUS REPORT TO FEC 27HAY97 7 97FEC/231/3180 MID-YEAR REPORT 14,731 16,307 1JAN97 -30JUN97 REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION 1JAN97 -30JUN97 2 98FEC/266/4337 REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION 2ND 1JAN97 -30JUN97 3 98FEC/280/4468 YEAR-IEND 38,342 30,881 1JUL97 -310EC97 10 98FEC/281/3088 1JUL97 -31DEC97 1JUL97 -31DEC97 REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION 5 98FEC/290/3459 REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION 2ND 6 98FEC/305/4342 1998 STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION - AMENDMENT 4FEB98 2 98FEC/281/3086 APRIL QUARTERLY 10,062 8 98FEC/338/3314 3,617 1JAN98 -31MAR98 2 98FEC/309/4328 7 98FEC/340/1904 NOTICE OF FAILURE TO FILE 1JAN98 -31MAR98 1APR98 -30JUN98 JULY QUARTERLY 5,086 4,442 TOTAL 61,776 61,692 0 58 TOTAL PAGES

All reports listed have been reviewed

Ending Cash-on-Hand as of 6/30/98: \$1977.30

Debts and Obligations Owed to the Committee:

Debts and Obligations Owed by the Committee: \$0.00

# YEAR-END

# REPORT NOTICE

#### FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

#### PARTIES AND PACS

December 29, 1997

#### WHO MUST FILE

Party committees and PACs (Nonconnected Committees and Separate Segregated Funds) must file a Year-End Report on January 31, 1998.

REPORT	REPORTING PERIOD*	REG./CERT. MAILING DATE**	FILING DATE
Year-End	07/01/97 - 12/31/97	01/31/98	01/31/98
II. Monthly File	rs	REG./CERT.	
		MAILING	FILING
REPORT	REPORTING PERIOD*	DATE**	DATE ·

#### LABEL

Committees should affix the peel-off label from the envelope to line 1 of the report. Corrections should be made on the label.

#### **COMPLIANCE**

Treasurers of political committees are responsible for filing all reports on time. Failure to do so is subject to enforcement action. Committees filing illegible reports or using non-FEC forms (except for FEC approved computer generated forms) will be required to refile.

#### **ELECTRONIC FILING**

For reports covering activity occurring in 1997 (and later), political committees have the option of filing electronically. If you are interested in this option, review the enclosed handout entitled "Electronic Filing Gets Underway at FEC," and call the Data Division at (800) 424-9530 or (202) 219-3730.

<sup>\*</sup>These dates indicate the beginning and the end of the reporting period. A reporting period always begins the day after the closing date of the last report filed. If the committee is new and has not previously filed a report, the first report must cover all activity that occurred before the committee registered.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Reports sent by registered or certified mail must be postmarked by the mailing date; otherwise, they must be received by the filing date.



## 1998 FILING SCHEDULE

I. QUARTERLY FILERS

		REG./CERT.	
		MAILING	FILING
REPORT	REPORTING PERIOD*	DATE**	DATE
April Quarterly	01/01/98 - 03/31/98	04/15/98	04/15/98
July Quarterly	04/01/98 - 06/30/98	07/15/98	07/15/98
October Quarterly	07/01/98 - 09/30/98	10/15/98	10/15/98
Pre-General	10/01/98 - 10/14/98	10/19/98	10/22/98
Post-General	10/15/98 - 11/23/98	12/03/98	12/03/98
Year-End	11/24/98 - 12/31/98	01/31/99	01/31/99

#### II. MONTHLY FILERS

		REG./CERT.	
		MAILING	FILING
REPORT	REPORTING PERIOD*	DATE**	DATE
February	01/01/98 - 01/31/98	02/20/98	02/20/98
March	02/01/98 - 02/28/98	03/20/98	03/20/98
April	03/01/98 - 03/31/98	04/20/98	04/20/98
May	04/01/98 - 04/30/98	05/20/98	05/20/98
June	05/01/98 - 05/31/98	06/20/98	06/20/98
July	06/01/98 - 06/30/98	07/20/98	07/20/98
August	07/01/98 - 07/31/98	08/20/98	08/20/98
September	08/01/98 - 08/31/98	09/20/98	09/20/98
October	09/01/98 - 09/30/98	10/20/98	10/20/98
Pre-General	10/01/98 - 10/14/98	10/19/98	10/22/98
Post-General	10/15/98 - 11/23/98	12/03/98	12/03/98
Year-End	11/24/98 - 12/31/98	01/31/99	01/31/99

#### 24 HOUR REPORT ON INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES

Any PAC that makes independent expenditures in connection with an election may have to file a 24 hour report. This reporting requirement is triggered if the committee makes independent expenditures aggregating \$1,000 or more after the 20th day, but more than 24 hours, before the day of the election.

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# QUARTERLY Attachmen

#### FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

#### PARTIES AND PACS

March 20, 1998

#### WHO MUST FILE

All Party Committees and PACs (Nonconnected Committees and Separate Segregated Funds) filing on a quarterly basis must file a Quarterly Report in April.

		REG./CERT.	
REPORT	REPORTING PERIOD*	MAILING DATE**	FILING DATE
April Quarterly	01/01/98 - 03/31/98	04/15/98	04/15/98

#### 24 HOUR REPORT ON INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES

Any PAC or Party Committee that makes independent expenditures in connection with an election may have to file a 24 hour report. This reporting requirement is triggered if the committee makes independent expenditures aggregating \$1,000 or more after the 20th day, but more than 24 hours, before the day of the election.

#### PRE-ELECTION REPORTING

Committees which make contributions or expenditures (including independent expenditures) in connection with an election must also file a Pre-Election Report, if the activity was not previously reported. See the January 1998 <u>Record</u>.

#### LABEL

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#### PARTIES AND PACS

April Quarterly

#### CHANGE IN FILING FREQUENCY

Committees wishing to change their reporting schedule (for example, from quarterly to monthly) must notify the Commission in writing when they file their next report due under their current reporting schedule. Committees may change their filing frequencies no more than once per calendar year.

## ELECTRONIC FILING

Political committees have the option of filing their reports electronically. If you are interested in this option, review the enclosed handout entitled "Electronic Filing of Disclosure Reports," and call the Data Division at (800) 424-9530 or (202) 694-1250.

#### COMPLIANCE

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FOR \*NFORMATION, CALL: (800) 424-9530 or (202) 694-1100

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## TELECON

ANALYST: Ed Ryan

CONVERSATION WITH: A telephone recording/message machine

serving their community (714) 975-0866

COMMITTEE: Elections Committee of the County of Orange -

C00192302

DATE: 6/01/98

SUBJECTS(S): Failure to file the 1998 April Quarterly

Report

I used a phone number found in the Committee's folder to contact the Committee regarding the failure to file the 1998 April Quarterly Report. The phone number was for a recording/message machine serving their community. I left a message identifying myself, the reason I called, and advising them that an April Quarterly Report must be sent in as soon as possible.



#### TELECON

ANALYST: Ed Ryan

CONVERSATION WITH: Jeff LeTourneau for the Elections

Committee of the County of Orange (714)

491-1619

COMMITTEE: Elections Committee of the County of Orange -

c00192302

DATE: 6/17/98

SUBJECTS(S): Returned phone call left on recording/message

machine

Mr. LeTourneau returned my phone call and apologized for not filing the April Quarterly Report. He left his telephone number and e-mail address for future conversations and said he would get together with the treasurer and get the report in as soon as he could.

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	TYPE OF REPORT			
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6.	(a) Cash on Hand January 1, 1998			7,778.60
	(b) Cash on Hand at Beginning of Fieporting Period	• • •	7,778.60	
	(c) Total Receipts (from Line 19)	,}	3,617.77	3,617.77
	(d) Subtotal (add Lines 6(b) and 8(c) for Column A and			
	Linas 8(s) and 6(c) for Column B)		11,396.37	11,396.37
7.	Total Disbursements (from Line 30)		10,062.45	10,062.45
8.	Cash on Hand at Close of Reporting Period (subtract Line? from Line	6(අ))	1,333.92	1,333.92
9.	Debts and Obligations Owed TO the Committee			For further information contact:
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	nt complete. pe or Print Name of Treasurer			
	Tamara Jean McIntyre			
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NOTE: Submission of false, erroheous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Report to the penalties of 2 U.S. C. p437g.

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**Federal Election Commission** 

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